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STORY IS CURRENT

at Port Arthur Has Fallen and Ten Thousand Soldiers Killed.

Peace Is Again Talked About.

resistant Report of Sharp Fighting Between Opposing Forces Near Liao-Yang--Censors Are Suppressing Practically All News.

Japs Advancing Army 100,000.

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the Denomination.

os Angeles, California, May 14.—ness and to choose six and probably a secret session lasting over ten days new bishops. The action is said to be without precedent in the on, the committee of episcopacy history of the church. There is little Methodist general conference doubt but that the conference will definitely decided, it is reliably confirm the action of the committee to retire five of the present as all the prominent leaders are members because of age and ineffectiveness of the Episcopacy committee.

WANTS TO HURRY
UP HIS FINISH.

olumbus, May 14—Albert, alias "Fisher, under sentence of execution for murder committed Toledo, has made a formal request the date of his execution be moved from July 7 to June 18, on which date three others are to be executed. Fisher refused to permit his attorney to take any steps to

JUDGESHIP NOMINATION

Has Narrowed Down to Three
Sheets, Bradbury and Spear.
Cox Supports Bradbury.

Columbus, May 14.—It is conceded now that the fight for nomination for the supreme court judgeship will narrow down to three candidates, Judge W. T. Spear, for re-nomination and Judge J. M. Sheets, of Ottawa and Judge J. P. Bradbury, former member from Meigs county. Bradbury is touted for the support of George B. Cox, and is looking up as having considerable strength, although he has not yet formally announced his intention of getting into the fight. Bradbury has a deal with Spear by which he will secure a portion of Spear's strength if it becomes apparent that Spear cannot win.

BLINDING SNOW STORM.

Houghton, Mich., May 14.—A blinding snow storm raged throughout the copper country today. Three inches of snow fell in Calumet.

PIONEER MOTHER DEAD.

South Bend, Ind., May 14.—Mrs. A. M. Leland, a pioneer of this section, died here today. She was 82 years old and was a native of New York state.

BRAZILIANS STOP BRITISH

Ship on Grounds That She Had
on Board Ammunition for
Peru.

Washington, May 14.—It is possible that Great Britain may be involved in threatened clash between Brazil and Peru. U. S. Minister Thompson cables the state department today from Petropolis that Brazilian officers yesterday stopped a British ship at Manao while she was making her way up the Amazon river on the ground that she had aboard 200 cases of ammunition destined for the Peruvian military forces in the up-river country, the possession of which is now a subject of dispute between Brazil and Peru. As there has been no declaration of war it is expected that the British government will enter a protest against the stoppage of the ship as illegal.

BULLETIN.

MINNEAPOLIS, MAY 14.—THE JURY IN THE CASE OF FORMER MAYOR A. AMES ON TRIAL FOR BRIBERY, WAS DISCHARGED TODAY. THE JURORS HAD GIVEN FORTY HOURS CONSIDERATION TO THE EVIDENCE WITHOUT REACHING AN AGREEMENT.

VERY PRETTY COMPLIMENT

Paid This Country by Belgium in Placing Numerous Eagles Over Pavilion.

St Louis, Mo., May 14.—World's Fair Grounds—Secretary of State John Hay, who is on a visit to St. Louis, and the Louisiana Purchase Exposition as the representative of President Roosevelt, was today escorted to the administration building by President Francis.

The first feature of today's program at the exposition was the opening of the Belgium national pavilion. Sections of stained glass constitute portions of the walls, however, to permit light to enter the building it is thoroughly lighted. The reason for the omission of windows is that the building is modelled after the rules of Belgian architecture that excluded windows because taxes were levied in accordance with the number of windows in a building. The pavilion is very handsome. On the dome are perched many eagles, modeled life size, and placed in such a conspicuous place as a compliment to the United States.

BROTHER AND SISTER GO TO PENITENTIARY.

Chicago, May 14.—Mack Wiley, (colored) and sister Hattie were today sentenced to the penitentiary for killing Chief of Police George Arey, of Morgan Park, Illinois, during a Halloween disturbance. Mack Wiley's term is for life. His sister received an indeterminate sentence.

CLARA BARTON RESIGNS RED CROSS PRESIDENCY.

Washington, May 14.—Miss Clara Barton today resigned the presidency of the American Red Cross and was succeeded by Mrs. General John A. Logan, who has heretofore occupied the office of vice president of the association.

MANY Vessel Owners Making Terms

With Masters.

Howell Makes Answer to Livingstone.

Charges Lake Carriers With Delay in Order to Advance Freight Rates,

And Claims That His Association Is New at Stage Vessel Owners as Individuals Must Sue for Peace.

CLEVELAND, May 14.—At the headquarters of the Masters and Pilots' Association today, it was stated that up to date contracts have been signed by the owners of fifty-four steam vessels of the Great Lakes, the agreements all providing for the wage scale submitted by the Masters and Pilots. It was added that these contracts are arriving by nearly every mail. Paul Howell of the Master and Pilots' Association today gave out a reply to the statement made last night by Mr. Livingstone of the lake carriers. Mr. Howell in part, says:

"The communication given out by Mr. Livingstone calls for answer on my part. No one knows better than myself the love of fair play of the American public, and I feel satisfied that were existing conditions known by them, they would say that the masters and pilots are asking nothing but what is right, and that this stigma if being up the lake commerce is at their doors and not ours."

"In the first place we were to have an early meeting with the lake carriers in the spring, but instead it was delayed until nearly time to start some of the boats. Since our first meeting with them they have done all in their power to delay matters and not come to an agreement. If the season can be shortened a better demand will be created for their boats and higher rates made possible. The vessels owners with one or two exceptions, would like the struggle prolonged.

"Mr. Livingstone says the Masters and Pilots are asking for a raise in wages. As a matter of fact we are only asking for a small portion of what should have been ours years ago. He quotes \$1,900 as a season's salary when in reality that was only paid on the very best and largest steamers. In a great many cases \$1,300 and \$1,200 was paid, which is just about the pay of a policeman. He says this too in the face of a very dull season, nothing to carry, etc. If such were the case whence comes all this hue and cry. I will go on record as saying that never in the lake history has there been such an urgent demand for up freight, viz coal; and the down freights will be ample for every one of the vessel owners see fit to carry freight at a losing figure that is their own business. I would suggest that these gentlemen use our tactics and leave their boats at the docks until living freight rates are obtained.

"Now I will ask how can the poor owners of the little lumber barges pay our wages and live up to our conditions with the difference of about \$200 to \$400 in a full season's wage account against that of a 5,000 ton steamer, or how a little old wooden boat with a carrying capacity of about 1200 to 1300 tons can pay us these wages and make money by it? These owners are not controlled by the Lake Carriers Association, and their business is in their own hands. I can quote you the names of 20 gross freighters that pay wages we have asked and on the other hand of owners of large fleets, who of course cannot afford it.

"We are now at the stage where the lake carriers must either individually, or as an association approach us."

WANT EDUCATION EXTENDED TO ADULTS.

Boston, May 14.—The extension of education to adults was the general topic considered today at the closing session of the convention of the American Social Science Association. President Charles W. Eliot, of Harvard University, outlined the problem. The programme also included papers by Dr. Melville D. Dewey, state Librarian at Albany, N. Y. who spoke upon "Higher Education for Adults at Home Through Life," and by Dr. Henry M. Leipzig, superintendent of free lectures of New York city, who discussed the relation of free public lectures to the education of the people.

WATERWAYS OF NEW YORK

Are Tied Up Because of Masters and Pilots Strike on the Lakes.

New York, May 14.—In consequence of the tie-up in traffic on the Great Lakes, the out business on the New York canals is in a state of paralysis. Since the opening of the state waterways, only one boatload of grain and three cargoes of iron ore have come through from Buffalo. Ports devoted to loading and unloading canal boats, usually the busiest spots on the water front, are deserted except for watchmen.

Many owners have turned their truck horses out to pasture and discharged thousands of men whom they employed when the season opened.

BULLETIN.

GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, MAY 14.—THE GAZETTE DE LAUSANNE HAS RECEIVED A TELEGRAM FROM BITLIS, ASIATIC TURKEY, CONFIRMING THE REPORTS OF FIGHTING BETWEEN TURKS AND ARMENIANS. ACCORDING TO THESE ADVICES ABOUT 700 TURKS AND 900 ARMENIANS WERE KILLED. THE LOCALITY OF THE FIGHT IS NOT GIVEN BUT PROBABLY WAS IN THE SASSOUN DISTRICT OF ARMENIA.

COLUMBUS SOLICITOR

Takes New Tack on Local Option Bill—Stole the Good Fur.

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Columbus, May 14.—City Solicitor Butler has taken another tack in the effort to test the Braddock local option election law. Today he filed a manumis petition in the common plaus court to compel Mayor Jeffrey to order an election in certain refused districts in the city. This is in direct opposition to the petition filed recently to prevent by injunction any such action by the mayor upon other petitions.

Took All the Good Stuff.

While Mrs. O. E. Farris, of 251 Neil street, was away from home, yesterday afternoon, two men drove up to the house with a big wagon and loaded into it the choicest pieces of furniture. Neighbors who saw the work thought the family was moving. Not until Mr. Farris returned today, were the true conditions understood by his wife. The police have no clew to the robbers.

MARCONI HAS RETURNED TO

Continue His Experiments at Glace Bay Station—Has New Instruments.

New York, May 14.—The first delegation of foreign mechanical engineers to arrive in this country to attend the international convention at Chicago, were passengers on the steamer Campania, which arrived today from Liverpool and Queenstown. They were Herbert Jewson, S. H. March and G. Croydon Marks. Three hundred and fifty more engineers are expected to come on next week's steamer.

Among other passengers on the Campania was Wm. Marconi, who came over with several assistants to continue his experiments at the Glace Bay Station, Cape Breton. Mr. Marconi says he succeeded in maintaining constant communication with shore stations during the voyage. The success of these tests, he says, insures the publication of a daily newspaper at sea. A new set of instruments, which had been prepared especially for use in the trials made during the voyage enabled the operators to communicate with the eastern shore for a distance of 1700 miles. In the meantime, before the signals with eastern shore failed, the station at Glace Bay on the western shore had picked up and communication was continued.

BULLETIN.

VANCOUVER, B. C., MAY 14.—MAIL ADVICES ON THE AUSTRALIAN STEAMER MIOWERA TODAY ARE THAT FIVE MEN WERE KILLED AND EATEN BY CANNIBALS OF THE ADMIRALTY ISLAND IN THE SOUTH SEA. THE BRITISH WARSHIP CONDOR WAS SENT TO THE SCENE AND SET FIRE TO THE VILLAGE WHERE THE CANNIBALS RESIDED. THE CONDOR THREATENED TO ANNIMATE THE VILLAGE IF THE NATIVES DID NOT HAND OVER THE CANNIBALS. THE ORDER WAS COMPLIED WITH AND THE CANNIBALS WERE SHOT.

ALL SORTS OF RUMORS

Come Floating From Convention Hall, But no Nomination Is Made.

Yates Has Lost Some Support.

Despite Chairman Cannon's Orders to Permit None to Enter Except Delegates, Crowd Broke Over All Barriers and Took Possession.

Springfield, Ills., May 14.—All sorts

the name of their candidate.

Sixteenth Ballot.

The vote on the 16th ballot as officially announced stood: Yates 472 45; Lowden 428; Deneen 381; Hamlin 119 35; Warner 38 45; Sherman 51 35; Pierce 21.

This was the first real break of the convention, fifteen votes going in a lump from Yates to Lowden. Prior to the beginning of balloting, Chairman Cannon asked the friends of candidates to refrain from demonstrations saying no one could reap any advantage from such actions. He said: "Thank God it has been demonstrated in a two days meeting that this convention is composed of 1500 men who are not affected by banners and buzzards."

Seventeenth Ballot.

Yates 485 45; Lowden 407; Deneen 279; Hamlin 109 45; Warner 35 45; Sherman 51 45; Pierce 24.

Eighteenth Ballot.

On the 18th ballot, Bureau county again split its vote. Union county split between Hamlin and Yates. Washington county cast its full vote for Hamlin. Woodford county went solidly for Lowden. The vote on the 18th ballot was: Yates 483 15; Lowden 412; Deneen 375; Hamlin 118; Warner 36 45; Sherman 50; Pierce 22.

Nineteenth Ballot.

Promptly on the announcement of the 19th ballot, Chairman Cannon recognized Everett G. Murphy, of Will county, which is part of Mr. Cannon's congressional district. Delegate Murphy moved a recess until three o'clock. The Deneen delegates opposed it, but the motion was put and declared carried.

HIS DECISION IS RATHER STARTLING.

New Jersey Judge Decides That a Boy's Life Is Twice as Valuable as That of a Beautiful Girl.

New York, May 14.—A boy's life is twice as valuable as that of a girl according to a decision by Judge Adams, of the Essex county circuit court at Newark, N. J.; further it was held that \$6,000 awarded to the father of Evan F. J. Eastwood, killed in a grade crossing trolley accident, is not excessive, but a verdict of \$5,000 awarded to the father of a girl was reduced

by the court to \$3,000, although the girl, Eliza Werppup, was said by many to be the most beautiful girl in Newark, and accounts of the accident in which she was killed contained many tributes of love and esteem from her teacher's and school fellows.

The damage suits grew out of the Clifton avenue trolley accident of Feb. 19, 1903, in which nine high school pupils were killed.

Under arrangements now made, each member of the national committee will have at his disposal one box and ten general admission tickets. Each delegate will have his own ticket of admission and three general tickets in addition. Each alternate will have one ticket. The seats for guests will be in the hands of the sub-committee on arrangements.

Provision will be made for 356 working newspaper men, who will be seated in "Correspondents" section 1 and 2. Seats will be provided for 350 additional newspaper men who will occupy "Press" sections 1 and 2. The arena floor will be so arranged that the delegates, in number 950, will be seated directly in front of the plat-

form. Behind them will be the 950 alternates. Further back will be the "Guest" sections in which will be accommodations for six hundred and six.

The more prominent guests and the party leaders will have seats on the platform which seats 434. The boxes will seat 420. The general tickets of admission will be for the balcony and the gallery. In the balcony will be 4,490 seats and in the gallery there will be places for 2,288.

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PAYING JAPANESE LOAN.

Now York, May 14.—The sub-treasurer has paid to banks \$2,191,000 on telegraphic order against a deposit of

imported Japanese yen at the San

DYSPEPSIA OF WOMEN

Requires Treatment Which Acts in Harmony with the Female System.

A great many women suffer with a form of indigestion or dyspepsia which does not seem to yield to ordinary medical treatment. While the symptoms seem to be similar to those of ordinary indigestion, yet the medicines universally prescribed do not seem to restore the patient's normal condition.

Mrs. Pinkham claims that there is a kind of dyspepsia that is caused by derangement of the female organism, and which while it causes disturbance similar to ordinary indigestion cannot be relieved without a medicine which not only acts as a stomach tonic, but has peculiar utero-tonic effects as well; in other words, a derangement of the female organs may have such a disturbing effect upon a woman's whole system as to cause serious indigestion and dyspepsia, and it cannot be relieved without curing the original cause of the trouble, which seems to find its source in the pelvic organs. As proof of this theory, we call attention to the letters from Mrs. Maggie Wright and Mrs. Emma Sawyer, who were completely cured by the use of

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM.—For two years I suffered more or less with dyspepsia which so degenerated my entire system that I was unfit to properly attend to my daily duties. I felt weak and nervous, and nothing I ate tasted good or felt comfortable in my stomach. I tried several dyspepsia cures, but nothing seemed to help me permanently. I decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial, and was happily surprised to find that it acted like a fine tonic, and in a few days I began to enjoy and properly digest my food. My recovery was rapid, and in five weeks I was a different woman. Seven bottles completely cured me, and a dozen or more of my friends have used it since."—**Mrs. MAGGIE WRIGHT**, 13 Van Voorhis St., Brooklyn, N.Y.

FORFEIT if we cannot forthwith produce the original letters and signatures of above testimonials, which will prove their absolute genuineness.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Medicines Co., Lynn, Mass.

\$5000

Many women whose letters we print were utterly discouraged, and life lacked all joy to them when they wrote Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., without charge of any kind. They received advice which made them strong, useful women again.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM.—I will write and let you know how much good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done me. I cannot express the terrible suffering I had to endure. I was taken last May with nervous prostration, also had female trouble, liver, stomach, kidney and bladder trouble. I was in a terrible condition.

"The doctor attended me for a year, but I kept getting worse. I got so I was not able to do any work. Was confined to my bed most of the time, and thought I would never be able to do anything. People thought I would not live. I decided to try your medicine. I have taken twelve bottles of Vegetable Compound and cannot praise it too highly, for I know it will do all and even more than it is recommended to do."

I will tell every suffering woman about your medicine and urge them to try it."—**Mrs. EMMA SAWYER**, Conyers, Ga.



SOCIETY and the CLUBS.

The following invitations have been sent out by the gentlemen members of the Aurora dancing club, who are making elaborate preparations for the contemplated event and expect it to be one of the best of the season. It is to be given in honor of the ladies, in return for a dance given by them in midwinter. The invitations read as follows:

The gentlemen of the Aurora dancing club request the pleasure of Mr. _____ and lady to a reception extended to the ladies on May nineteenth, nineteen hundred and four at Armory hall.

By Grand march at 9 o'clock prompt.

Miss Kennedy returned yesterday afternoon to her home in Chicago, after an extended visit with Mrs. W. B. Riehl, of west North street.

Mrs. C. Curtis has returned to her home in Cleveland, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Thomas.

Miss Wetherill has returned from a visit with friends in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moulton, of west Market street, have as their guest Mrs. Seudder of Cincinnati.

Dr. V. E. Bedford is in Kentucky on an extended business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. James Pillars, of west Spring street, entertained about twenty-five friends at a social, Wednesday evening, in compliment to Mrs. George Webb and Miss Baker of Lancaster.

Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Cromwell, of Dayton, have returned home after a visit with Mrs. M. Bedford, of west Spring street.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. West, of north Pierce street, will soon leave for their summer home in Bay View, Mich.

Miss Helen Dildine, of Toledo, a sister of Mr. Gibson P. Dildine, of the Buckeye Pipe Line Co., will be the guest of Miss Marie Mills, over the Sabbath.

The Coterie club will meet with Mrs. McKinney, of west North street, Tuesday, May 17th.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. held their annual business meeting, Tuesday, and elected the following officers: Mrs. S. B. Flesher, president; Mrs. Angerona Thrift, first vice president; Mrs. Beulore, second vice president; Mrs. C. C. Miller, third vice president; Mrs. O. B. Selfridge, secretary; Mrs. U. M. Shappell, treasurer. A financial statement was made of the year's excellent work, and an enjoyable program was given by the Sappho club.

Yesterday Mrs. Loren E. Starnes entertained about forty ladies at a spring time luncheon in honor of her guests, Mrs. George Webb and Miss Carrie Baker, of Lancaster. Easter lilies sent their fragrance throughout the rooms and each small table was decked with a cluster of spring blossoms and lilies of the valley. A four course luncheon was served by Mrs. Frank Harmon, Mrs. James Pillars, Mrs. Clair Tolson, Mrs. Will Neuman, Mrs. W. T. Burrows and Mrs. S. E. Holloman.

Yesterday afternoon, Mrs. A. Miesse,

visit at Cincinnati, where she attended the May Festival.

Mrs. Blackburn, of west Spring street, was hostess for the Victorians, on Wednesday afternoon. The following guests were entertained: Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Churchill and Mrs. Young. This meeting closed the regular club gatherings.

The College Auxiliary met Thursday afternoon for the election of Mrs. Enos Conner and selected for the season of 1904 and 1905, the following officers: President, Mrs. W. E. Penny; vice president, Mrs. J. E. Richie; secretary, Mrs. Carl Ackerman; treasurer, Mrs. C. A. Hoover; executive committee, Mrs. George Taylor, Mrs. N. L. Michael and Mrs. Enos Conner. Arrangements will be made for a lawn fete next month.

Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Herold and Mr. and Mrs. C. Bauer entertained the members of the Frohe Stunden and their husbands, at the Bauer home, on Washington street. Flags of all nations mingled effectively with roses and carnations in decorating, and the following guests were players at progressive pedro: Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Mosier, Mr. J. Kissel, Mr. and Mrs. Enos Conner, Mr. C. Horbst, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bachler and Mrs. King.

The club prizes, a pretty picture and dainty plate, were won by Mr. Henry Delsel and Mrs. Robert Reese, while Mrs. King and Mr. Bachler won the guest prizes of dainty linen and a book.

The Spinettes were the guests of Mrs. Hugh Cameron, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. T. E. Thompson, Mrs. J. G. Neubauer, Mrs. J. E. Sullivan, and Mrs. J. W. McCarty were guests, who joined in the game of pedro, resulting in victory for Miss Frances Colvin, who won a sterling fork.

Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Irving B. Detwiler, of west Wayne street, entertained the Tuesday club at cards. Mrs. Robert McDonald secured the high score gift, a dainty hand made collar. Mr. Frank Clark and family, have moved into Mrs. Sadie Tracy's home on east High street until their new home is completed.

Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mulholland, of west Spring street, entertained at dinner in honor of Mrs. George Webb and Miss Carrie Baker, of Lancaster.

The Lislitziners will close their season with an open evening, entertaining their friends at a recital at the home of their president, Mrs. R. H. Ebersole, of north Pierce street.

Tuesday afternoon, the Ancients will be entertained by Mrs. J. Spyker, of west Wayne street.

The Monday Night club met this week with Mrs. W. D. Carpenter, of north Pierce street, and Mrs. Argue's new home was given a merry house warming by a party of friends who surprised them with cards and everything in abundance to make a good time.

Mrs. Charles Adgate-Hover, of west Market street, will entertain about thirty ladies at a luncheon, Wednesday, at one o'clock, and on Thursday and Friday afternoons will entertain other friends at progressive euchre. All three parties are in honor of the hostess' mother, Mrs. George Bower, of Munroe, Indiana.

Saturday afternoon, Miss Gali Parmenter celebrated her eleventh birthday by entertaining ten girl friends at a five o'clock tea.

Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. F. Cuthbert, of west North street, entertained a congenial little crowd of friends informally.

Tuesday evening, Miss Laura McLaughlin was surprised by the following young girls whom Mrs. McLaughlin had invited to take tea: Misses Kathryn and Roby Ohler, Margaret Thomson, Miss Gladys Baxter, Miss Pauline Jones, Miss Gladys Butler, Miss Louise Holdridge, Miss Beatrice Campbell, Miss Ethel Argue, Miss

Hazel Griffin, Miss Rhea Watson, Miss Minerva Blum, Miss Kathryn O'Day, Miss Frances Robinson and Miss Jessie Altschul.

The Girls Cooking club will enjoy one of their fine dinners this evening at Miss Yvonne Ebersole's home.

Today, at one o'clock, Miss Laura Borges entertained twenty-four young matrons and maid-servants at a violet luncheon, these springtime favorites being used as favors and in decorating. Mrs. George Moffatt, of Pittsburg, Kansas, was a guest.

Mr. Odor, of west High street, has been in St. Louis this week.

The Juniors of Lima High school, had a delightful time at their lawn fete, Wednesday evening, at the home of Miss Treva Morris, of west Market street.

The High school orchestra furnished music, and dainty refreshments were served to a strong gathering.

The Twentieth Century club will be officered next year by Mrs. M. L. Becker, president; Mrs. J. C. Hover, vice president; Miss Elfhore Timberlake, secretary; critic, Miss Medora Freeman.

The Round Table will meet Monday afternoon with Mrs. C. K. Lawrence, of west Market street.

Mrs. Edwin Kirk, of west Market street opened her cozy home to the West End Euchre club, yesterday.

Mrs. John Ashton entertained the Wednesday Night club at cards, this week and a book.

The Etude club have elected for their officers this year: Mrs. George Mehaffey, president; Mrs. Howard Williamson, vice president; Miss Carolyn Truesdale, secretary; Miss Esther Swan, Mrs. W. C. Bell and Mrs. W. L. Methcalf, executive committee.

There is much enthusiasm being shown by the Federated clubs in one of the most elaborate affairs ever given in our city in the form of a garden party at Baxter Place, the third week in June. The proceeds are to go to the library fund.

The Players were entertained Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Grace Richardson-McIndoe. Mrs. A. C. Baxter secured the first prize, a cut glass belt. Mrs. J. Welch won second prize, a spoon. Miss King won the guest prize. Other guests were Miss Kennedy, of Chicago; Mrs. J. W. Roby, Mrs. Wm. Melville and Miss Helen Moore.

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Richardsons Wash and Embroidery

Silks

Two Skins for 5c at

G. E. BLUEM'S,

221 and 223 North Main Street.

COLD WAVE

Will Cross Continent Between 16th and 20th.

Foster Predicts a Series of Storms That Will Occur During This Month.

Poster, in his last bulletin gives forecasts of disturbance to cross continent 16 to 20, warm wave 15 to 18, cool wave 18 to 22. Next disturbance will reach Pacific coast about 20, cross west of Rockies by close of 21, great central valleys 23 and 24, eastern states 25. Warm wave will cross west of Rockies about 20, great central valleys 22, eastern states 24. Cool wave will cross west of Rockies about 23, great central valleys 23, eastern states 27. Above is for northern states and Canada and not for southern states. While this northern storm is nearing the New England states a southern storm will appear on the Texas gulf coast. This northern storm will cause dangerous winds on the upper lakes about May 22 or 23 and then it will decrease in intensity as it nears the northeastern states. A severe cold wave will follow it and conditions will be almost entirely opposite what they will have been in the preceding storm wave: that is, this northern storm will cause very cold weather in northern states and Canada about May 26, while it will be very warm at that time in southern states. This northern storm will cause the coldest part of May about 26, on meridian 90, earlier west, later east.

Mr. A. Neuman and family, are moving into their new home on west North street, which they recently purchased from Mr. S. S. Wheeler.

The Frohe Stunden club will meet at Mrs. Renz's 320 north Main street, on Wednesday afternoon.

The president of the J. D. club recently entertained in honor of her 44th birthday. After a sumptuous dinner, she was presented by the secretary with a handsome ring and in return, she presented each member with a club pin and a handsome basket filled with choice nuts. At a late hour all dispersed wishing Mrs. Walker many more pleasant birthdays.

Mrs. Sheets of 413 east High street, will entertain the Busy Bees Thursday afternoon.

The Franklin club will meet with Mrs. John East, 419 north Elizabeth street, Wednesday afternoon.

Disastrous Wrecks.

Carelessness is responsible for many walking wrecks and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from Throat and Lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and colds, even the worst cases can be cured, and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Clegg, of Dorchester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all throat and lung diseases by H. F. Vorkamp, druggist. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

NOTICE, A. O. H.

There will be regular meeting of division No. 1, A. O. H., tomorrow at 1:30 p. m., in the new parish hall. A full attendance is requested.

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KIBBY

Corner Legislators Met Last Night

And Said a Few

Things Supposed to Be Of Interest.

A Small Blaze Calls the Department to Second Street.

A Few Happenings of Interest to South Lima Readers, Including Personal and Local Briefs.

A full account of the death of William Lighty, of Solarville, whose body was found in the refinery reservoir this morning at 6:40, will be found on another page of this issue.

Legislators' Gossip.

Kibby Corners, May 14.—The unofficial law makers of this place met at an early hour last evening in order to escape the speech of one of the members, who, it was understood had been reciting a self-made piece to his pup and chickens every evening during the past week.

The first matter taken up was "How to pay the rent for their meetin' house." It was finally agreed to give a few ice cream socials, a musical and a private dance in order to raise the "fough."

A vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Daniel Rowlands for the deed for that part of south Union street land, to be used as a street, from the Central market grounds to the creek. It was thought the city might wish to build a bridge across the creek some time, and the deed would come handy.

The chairman warned all members to confine their speeches to matters under discussion, but it would be a hard matter to confine that honorable body to any one subject, and speakers wandered anywhere from the city water works reservoir to the city cow pasture in the west end.

No 5 wanted an ordinance passed compelling people to construct their fence gates so as to open inward instead of outward. He had bumped his shins on a gate that had carelessly been left open by the cool, somewhere, and he was sore about it.

No 1 could not see why pedestrians and teamsters did not obey the law, and always turn to the right, thus avoiding accidents.

No 3, who is an Englishman, "never heard of such a bloomin' law," but thought "somethin' hought to be done to stop people from standin' him in the middle of the sidewalk to talk." He was told there was an ordinance governing such actions, but that it was not enforced.

No 2, who is quite an enthusiast on electricity thought the street railway managers ought to attach a springing cart to their south Main street cars, thus doing away with so much dust. He said the cost would be very small, and the people would greatly appreciate it and help pay for it—by refusing to ride on a pass. The street needs water all right, but how and when will the master be acted upon?

No 1 wanted to know what was going to be done with boys who rush the growler and stand around the corners in a drunken, noisy condition.

The park policeman was instructed to invite the boys out to the park, so they would not disturb No 1.

No 5, the new member from Greenlaw, took a fresh chew, spit, wiped his chin, and commenced to tell of a preacher who was refused admittance to conference several years ago, because he was a democrat, but the chair ordered him to shut up, as no one would believe it. He left the room with his head up and mouth open, like a goshen in a restaurant.

No 1 butted in again about his relations and relations in law. He has been divorced and his second wife's mother, so he says, married her sister's husband. Ex-brothers and sisters-in-law, ex-mother and father-in-law, sisters and brothers-in-law—cousins, etc., were his special possessions.

No 6 awoke, and said something about an expert water examiner being in the city, but thought if people would tie a nice clean white rag over the nozzle of their hydrant, leave it an hour or so, then look at the sediment which will gather, they will not care for what an expert says, nor will they care for any more surface water.

He said it begins to look as though the letters "B. of P. S." stood for Buyers of Polluted Surface—In a new drink, or rather an old one under a new name, which Lima people are using with relish.

Just then someone spotted No. 7 coming up street, and adjournment and a hasty exit was in order. They were afraid of that speech.

Small Fire. Yesterday afternoon an alarm from box 18 called the department to Second street, where a fire had started in the roof of a house occupied by the J. H. Wilkerson family. Damage done to house and household goods will probably reach \$300.

Short Stories. After visiting friends at Ada several days, Miss Mary Lundy, of Harrison avenue, has returned home.

Charles De Voe, of south Elizabeth street, leaves in a few days with the Arion Trio for the lakes. They will entertain patrons of the steamer "Mackinac," and this is their fifth season on the lakes.

Mrs W H Roberts, of west Circular street, is at Muncie Ind., where she attended the funeral of a friend.

Mrs Jackson and daughter Anna, of Hyland avenue, are visiting relatives at Leesburg, Ohio.

An old time south side boy "Droney" White, of Spokane, Wash., is calling on his many friends in this city.

Mrs H. B. Hawkins, of east Vine street, is visiting friends at Ada.

Mrs B. G. De Voe, of south Eliza street, is on the sick list.

Mrs Mary J Bogardus, of south Union street, is visiting her son George, at Kokomo, Ind.

Mrs Thomas Harter, of Kokomo Ind., is calling on south side friends.

Mrs O. J. Halter, of Forest avenue, is a guest of Spencerville friends.

John Biner and Stuart Styrner, of Spencerville, were Lima visitors today.

Mrs Elmer Barth, of south Main street, is entertaining her sister, Mrs Chas Owen, of Titusville, Pa.

Dave Denman, of St Johns avenue, went to Harrod this morning, to remain over Sunday.

WATER CONSUMERS.

IT WILL BE NECESSARY TO STOP OUR PUMPING MACHINERY ON SUNDAY, MAY 15TH, FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING REPAIRS THE WATER WILL BE SHUT OFF FROM THE CITY ON THIS DATE FROM 8 O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING UNTIL 4 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING. PLEASE ARRANGE TO PROTECT YOURSELVES.

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CURRENT HUMOR.

"You say your wife allows you to do just as you please."

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"I know that my new dress does not look at all neat or stylish" said Mrs. Wedderley.

"Why do you think that, my dear?" replied the bill-footer of the combine. "Because it's too comfortable," replied Mrs. M.—Strav Stories.

"Willie—Pa, what is the difference between a talk and a conversation?"

Stinson—All the difference in the world, my boy. Your mother converses with strangers, but she talks to me.—Life.

"Mistress—What do you mean by this, Minna—getting a hat like mine? Is there no more any difference between mistress and servant?"

Hausmaid—Oh, yes! I paid for mine.—Flegende Blaetter

"Do you wish to be cremated?" they asked the editor.

"That's just what's troubling me," he said. "I've got an idea they're going to attend to that in the next world"—Atlanta Constitution.

"What kind of woman is she?"

"I don't like to say disagreeable things about people behind their backs, but I once heard her boast that her husband was a perfect gentleman."—Chicago Record-Herald.

"Aunt Jane—But they tell me your friend isn't much of a lady."

Arthur—What an idea! Why, auntie, she weighs a hundred and fifty if she weighs an ounce.—Boston Transcript

"Shure, Ol had to save myself first; now Ol'm going back to fetch Molke."—Modern Society.

"Waiter—I'm sorry, sir, but we're all out of fish and chops, but I can give you beefsteak."

Customer (absently)—That's tough—Kansas City Wordy

A REVELATION.

If you will make inquiry it will be a revelation to you how many succumb to kidney or bladder troubles in one form or another. If the patient is not beyond medical aid, Foley's Kidney Cure will cure. It never disappoints. For sale by H. F. Vortkamp.

When we talk to a school teacher, we feel as if our remarks are being diagrammed, parsed, analyzed, and she is wondering whether we should get a red or a blue card.

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Don Juan who has been surnamed the monkey dare-devil, is one of the most sensational animal actors ever seen under canvas. Don Juan makes a daring, devilish, almost incomprehensible mid-air evolution down an incline and around a centrifugal loop at each performance of the Gentry Bros. Shows, which are coming to Lima, Tuesday, May 17th, afternoon and evening. Swift as a meteor the monkey artist dashes down a precipitous incline, attaining a frightful momentum from his fearful descent. While laughing death to scorn, Don Juan rides rapidly and safely into the arms of his waiting attendant. This is an heroic feat, a perilous innovation in breath-taking acts, so fraught with awful consequences as to appall imitators. This is but one of the many new animal acts to be seen with the new Gentry show this year.

The parade leaves the show grounds at 10 o'clock, traversing the principal thoroughfares. Performances start at 2 and 8 p.m., with doors open one hour earlier. Price 25¢.

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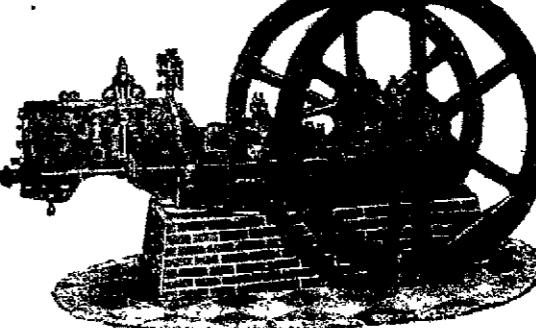
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WEATHER.

Washington, May 14.—For Ohio Fair tonight except showers along the lake; Sunday fair, warmer in extreme southwest portion; fresh west winds.

The only business disturbance there will be in this country next March when a democratic president is inaugurated, will come through the putting out of business the trusts which are destroying all legitimate competition through the covert medium of a high protective tariff.

The proposition to make Secretary Shaw chairman of the republican committee seems to meet with general favor among party leaders, doubtless because he is regarded as the president's choice for the position. One of the objections to it, however, expressed in a mild way, says the Louisville Courier-Journal, is that he would have to give up his place as secretary of the treasury. But as it is well known that he was appointed to that place for his qualifications as a political organizer, and as the advance agent of the president in his canvass for the nomination, in the prosecution of which work he has been stumping for several years all over the country, there would seem equally good grounds for his retaining his place in the cabinet as secretary of the treasury. The properties of decency having been so long violated, it seems late in the day to be showing any qualms of conscience now. Besides, his control of the treasury would give him increased power in levying contributions from banks and other corporations which profit by the favors at his disposal.

DALZELL'S INSULT.

During the closing days of congress there were many exciting scenes, and many startling political climaxes, some of them exceedingly detrimental and dangerous to the republican party.

Ranking first among these was a deliberate insult offered to American citizens of foreign birth by Mr. Dalzell, a member from Pennsylvania. Launched into a fury by the sarcastic eloquence, and unanswerable argu-

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To Columbus Via Pennsylvania Lines.—May 16th and 17th, excursion tickets to Columbus, account Ohio republican state convention, will be sold via Pennsylvania lines. Call on local ticket agent of those lines for particulars regarding time of trains, etc.

A BICYCLE FREE.

Commencing Monday, April 25, we will give to each person calling at our new store, 112114 north Elizabeth street, one chance on a high grade bicycle, to be given away at our opening May 14th. Come in and call for a chance.

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Record of Gross Extravagance and Sloth.

ROOSEVELT has spent \$2,640,000,000 or \$853,000,000 more than the last democratic administration disbursed. A review of the cost of government for the past twelve years shows that the present administration has expended enormous sums in excess of the two preceding presidential administrations, exceeding McKinley by \$211,000,000.

The following is a comparative record of the expenditures:

Cost of Roosevelt Administration	\$2,640,000,000
Cost of McKinley Administration	2,329,000,000
Cost of Cleveland Administration	1,757,000,000
Excess of Roosevelt over McKinley	211,000,000
Excess of Roosevelt over Cleveland	833,000,000

The Roosevelt administration has spent \$2,640,000,000. If changed into \$1 bills and laid end to end, this enormous sum would make a strip 313,000 miles long. If in \$10 bills the strip would be 31,000 miles long, or a belt that would more than reach around the world.

COMPARATIVE RECORD OF THE CONGRESS THAT ADJOURNED APRIL 28.

What Congress Did.	Measures Killed.	Legislation Postponed.
Appropriated for next fiscal year \$781,574,629.	President McKinley's entire reciprocity program.	Action against trusts.
Provided for Cuban reciprocity.	Investigation of postoffice scandals.	Financial reform, especially against favored national banks.
Passed bill giving \$100 to blind pensioners.	Investigation of Indian and land scandals.	Eight-hour labor bill.
Ordered one trust investigation.	Revision of the tariff.	Anti-injunction bill.
Adjusted the Panama Canal matter.	Curtailment of executive authority as exemplified in President Roosevelt's service pension order.	Bill against sale of convict-made goods.
Passed 1,200 bills out of 20,000 offered of which only 175 were for public benefit.	Restriction of undesirable immigration.	Reciprocity with Canada.
	Increase of Interstate Commerce Commission's power to prevent discriminating rates.	Measures for benefit of the Philippines, Guam, Hawaii and Porto Rico.
		Measures against "get-rich-quick" concerns.
		And many more.

COMPARATIVE COSTS OF PRECEDING ADMINISTRATIONS.

The second administration of Madison, including the war of 1812, cost \$130,542,794.	300 in paper money, equivalent to from \$1,500,000,000 to \$2,000,000,000 in gold.	unbroken peace, has cost nearly four times as much as was spent under the first administration of Grant and three times the cost of the first administration of Cleveland.
The administration of Polk, including the Mexican war, cost \$173,299,266.	The first administration of McKinley, including the Spanish and Philippine wars, cost \$1,906,136,811.	The administration of Roosevelt, in
The administration of Lincoln, including the civil war, cost \$3,347,802.		

STORY IS CURRENT

(Continued from page 1.)

road between New Chwang and Shan Hai Kwang and reporting all messages filed to the local censors.

Supplies are being rushed out of this place and the Russian authorities are busy dismantling the gunboat Sivouch, preparatory to her ultimate destruction.

More Troops Landing.

New Chwang, May 14.—The Japanese troops continue landing at Pitsewo, and the railroad has been cut again, seventeen miles of track being gone. Communications, however, for that distance has been kept open by the aid of carts. The Port Arthur mail is about thirty-six hours old when it gets to New Chwang. This morning a few more troops left and moved the Russian camp three miles east of the city which is now practically unprotected. Two correspondents went over the entire town last night, and did not see a single sentry on duty. The natives are growing more restless as the Russians continue to move out.

A Critical, Anxious Moment.

St. Petersburg, May 14—12:30 p. m.—The army organ is dismasted to believe that Hay Cheng is the Japanese objective. It says the division of guards now marching in that direction probably will sweep northward toward Liao Yang followed by the forces now at Suyan Chow and combining with the division reported to be at Sotai to make a combined attack on Liao Yang.

The Novik Vremya's expert estimates the forces advancing against Liao Yang at 100,000 men, with 50,000 horses and 270 guns and believes the Russians are retiring upon their base.

"It is a critical and anxious moment," the paper continues. "General Kropotkin allowing the enemy to take the offensive watching for a favorable moment to strike a decisive blow."

Although the issue price of the new Russian loan is still a secret here, the newspapers express satisfaction with its terms. The Novik Vremya points out that seven per cent was paid during the Turkish war and that the rate is only five per cent, whereas the Japanese are paying at least six per cent for a smaller amount.

The emperor has accepted \$750,000 for the navy from Count Stroganov, from the patriotic emergency fund, consisting of several million roubles deposited in the imperial bank by donors to his majesty's grand father.

The army medical department completed its pro-phylactic measures for the far East and are now able to cope with any epidemic among the troops.

A disinfecting apparatus has been sent to every point in Manchuria, and also every kind of serum, to the total value of \$5,000. Every soldier was vaccinated after passing Baikul. Small pox is the only contagious disease reported by the Siberian hospitals.

There have been three cases at Chita, fourteen at Werkhneudinsk and fifteen at Allen.

AN APRIL TRUISM.'Those April flowers,
For various Jills,
In May,' said Jack,
"Bring serious bills."

—Exchange

AN IMPORTANT IRRIGATION WORK.

The secretary of the interior has tentatively approved plans for a suspended irrigation project to be constructed in the valleys of Payette and Boise rivers, in southwestern Idaho. This information will be especially interesting to those who are familiar with the publications of the United States Geological Survey. One of the most recent geologic folios issued by the survey is that relating to the Nampa quadrangle, which is situated near the lower end of Snake river valley, mostly in Canyon county, Idaho. Mr. Waldemar Lindgren, author of the folio, states that in this region, owing to the lack of rainfall, vegetation is scant, and the entire quadrangle may be called a sagebrush desert. He calls attention to the fact that with the exception of the flood plains of the Boise and Payette rivers, tributaries of Snake river, where there is a natural subirrigation that keeps vegetation growing, and some places along Willow creek, where underground water provides similar subirrigation, the agricultural lands of the quadrangle are practically an unlimited amount of land. It means the passing of the promoter and ditch manipulator and the coming of the irrigator and business man. It means ultimately improved agricultural conditions, better transportation facilities and industries of every kind. Above all, it means homes and living for a quarter of a million people.

The Nampa folio, which describes the physiographic features of a part of this interesting region, may be obtained for twenty-five cents on application to the director of the United States Geological Survey, Washington, D. C.

In lot number four (4) in Lamison, addition to the city of Lima, Ohio, a small stand is recorded on the recorder plat of said addition.

By executing a mortgage deed in an amount not to exceed eight hundred (\$800.00) dollars, for a period of time not to exceed ten years, and to pay interest upon the same either annually or semi-annually.

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SPECIAL PRICES 1903 CRESCENT AND MONARCH BICYCLES AT HAWISHER BROS.**GRAPHITE IN THE EASTERN ADIRONDACKS, N. Y.**

Graphite is now attracting much attention in the region of Lake George and southern Lake Champlain, and Mr. J. F. Kemp's article on graphite in the eastern Adirondacks, New York, which appears in the Bulletin (No. 225) entitled "Contribution to Economic Geology, 1903," recently published by the United States Geological Survey, is therefore particularly timely. The bulletin is printed for gratuitous distribution.

In this region graphite deposits are found in four kinds of rock: (1) Pegmatite veins; (2) veins of graphite; (3) quartzite; (4) crystalline limestone with associated gneissoid strata. All four have been, or are, the objects of serious mining.

Not a few prospects in the pegmatites have attracted attention, but the pockety and uncertain nature of the deposits has made all attempts to work them practical failures except at old and now abandoned workings on Chilson Hill, Ticonderoga.

In a few places, as at Split Rock near Essex, on Lake Champlain, narrow veins or veins of graphite cross the gneiss and fill fissures up to an inch in width. A large deposit of this sort would be the richest and most desirable of all, but the veins have nowhere been found in sufficient abundance to justify mining.

The deposits of graphite quartzites are much the most persistent and reliable of all. Thus far they have been discovered chiefly in the town of Hague, at the northern end of Lake George, on the west side, and in the towns of Dresden and Whitehall, on both sides of South Bay, Lake Champlain. Indications of these quartzites and poorly exposed outcrops have also been observed in the mountains west of Silver Bay, Lake George, and on the east side of the lake as well. The rocks also occur along Lake Cham-

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plain south of the village of Putnam. There are two mills at Hague for the concentration of the quartzites. The problem in the concentration of the graphite is in great contrast to that involved in the concert. metallic ores. In the former case an effort is made to save the light mineral and reject the heavy; in the latter case the reverse is true.

The crystalline limestones, so abundant in the Adirondacks, have never been utilized as a commercial source of graphite, but they present certain advantages to the miner and are worthy of serious consideration. The limestone is a soft rock, easily crushed, and in separation would free itself from the graphite.

Graphite is extremely useful and is constantly increasing in importance. In the trade the quality of the mineral depends partly on the size of the scales and partly on its adaptability to the manufacture of crucibles. The scales are small, the difficulties of concentration are increased and the price of the mineral is lower. Contrary to the general impression, only a very small part of the graphite produced goes into lead pencils, and practically all of that is obtained from Sonora Mexico. Crucibles for the manufacture of crucible steel takes perhaps most of the product, and not every graphite can be used for that purpose. The remainder is chiefly employed in the manufacture of lubricants, stove polish and paint.

NOTICE!

On the 14th day of May, A. D. 1904, the Second Baptist church, of Lima, Ohio, filed a petition in the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, being case number 11,903, asking for an order of said court to enable said corporation to incumber its real estate situated in the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio, described as follows:

In lot number four (4) in Lamison, addition to the city of Lima, Ohio, a small stand recorded on the recorder plat of said addition.

By executing a mortgage deed in an amount not to exceed eight hundred (\$800.00) dollars, for a period of time not to exceed ten years, and to pay interest upon the same either annually or semi-annually.

Sale cause will be for hearing on or about the 13th day of June, A. D. 1904.

THE SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH OF LIMA, OHIO.
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154 Sat. 4th.

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GAME

Will Be Lively All Next Week.

The Attorneys and Lawyers to Meet Thursday.

P. A. and Pabst Teams Will Do Battle on Tuesday Afternoon.

Grounds at Metcalf Street and Grand Avenue in Fine Condition for the Opening Game— Sporting News.

The national game will be the rage Lima next week and the indications are to a lively time among the fans during the entire season. The latest intonations to the local talent are two teams to be known as the Pabst and P. A. teams. They will clash on the new Lima grounds, Wheeler park, Tuesday afternoon with the following line-up:

Abst-Shaffer, c; J. D. Armstrong, Milt Reed, 3b; Hayes Baker, 2b; y. Harmon, 1b; Tifton, rf; Fred Strong, ss; Chappell, cf; Jim Gilpie, lf; Bert Neff, L. J. Keppler, Steinle and Chas. Maxwell, on bench.

P. A.—Pete Long, c; Standish, p; K Seward, 1b; Earl Dressler, ss; as; 2b; Decaus, 3b; Ed. Davis, rf; Williams, cf; Bob Harris, lf; Jim Ochs, Dr. Lush and Tom Lawlor, on beach.

The Giants Lost.
The Lima Giants have had a bad luck, losing at New Bremen last Sunday, at Urbana, Wednesday and two more at Ada, yesterday.

Tipp City Here Tomorrow.
The Tippecanoe City team which recently won a victory in this city, will return tomorrow, to meet the Lima team on the new Wheeler park grounds.

Grand Avenue Grounds.
The new base ball grounds at the corner of Grand avenue and Metcalf will be dedicated tomorrow. A game between the Arcades and Strong team from New Bremen's grounds are in fine condition, being fully enclosed and all that remains to make the park complete the construction of a grand stand. Work on this will be started after a jog line of bleachers has already been completed.

Vork on the Grand Avenue.
A new street railway line is being rapidly extended and General Manufacturing announces that cars will run to the new ball park in weeks.

Battle Royal Next Thursday.
The physicians and attorneys, doctors and lawyers, sawhorses and petticoats have signed articles of agreement for a battle royal that is likely to occur on the new Grand avenue grounds next Thursday afternoon. Admission of 15 cents will be charged and the proceeds will be contributed to the city hospital.

Yesterday's League Results.
Brooklyn 2, Pittsburgh 0.
How They Stand.

Won Lost P. C
New York 15 5 750
Cincinnati 17 8 680
Cago 11 3 550
Brooklyn 12 10 515
Louis 10 11 47.
St. Louis 8 14 364

FUNERAL

Service Held Over Remains of Henry Schaefer.

The funeral of the late Henry Schaefer, held from the German Reformed church, was conducted by the Rev. Mr. Land, who preached an impressive sermon.

Mr. Schaefer was an active member of the church and in earlier years, led the choir. He was also one of the oldest members of the German Maennerchor and was a member of the orchestra and worked faithfully until his health failed. He was a man of noble character and was highly respected by all who knew him, and was a kind and loving husband and father.

Mrs. Schaefer and family desire to thank their pastor and friends, including the members of the Maennerchor, for their kindness during the illness and after the death of Mr. Schaefer.

The pall bearers at the funeral were Messrs. George Feltz, George Klein, James Fisher, Mr. Market, Joseph Woerner and Louis Koch.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO,
LAW COLONY,
FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & CO., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state of Ohio, and that he will give full value of one HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of scatarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh.

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A Runaway Bicycle.

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GOVERNOR NAMES COURT

Charges Against Springfield Affairs Will Be Investigated During This Month.

Columbus, May 14.—The personnel of the court martial called to hear charges filed against the Springfield officers of the Third regiment, was announced today, as follows:

Col. Lloyd W. Howard, Sixth Infantry, O. N. G.

Col. C. S. Tammel, Fourth Infantry, O. N. G.

Lieutenant Col. Charles C. Weybrecht, Eighth Infantry, O. N. G.

Lieutenant Col. Lewis H. Palmer, Seventh Infantry, O. N. G.

Lieut. Col. Byron L. Barger, Fourth Infantry, O. N. G.

Major Jno. R. McGuigg, First Battalion, engineers.

Major Harry P. Bosworth, Fifth Infantry, O. N. G.

Col. Edward Volrath, judge advocate, Eighth Infantry, O. N. G.

Col. Howard Willbe, president of the court. Sessions will begin May 23, and continue without regard to hours. The hearing will be held in the senate chamber at the state house.

LIMA IS GROWING.

THERE IS NO DOUBT OF IT.

The Federal Census Shows It, the School Census Shows It, the Votes Shows It, So Must Be So.

But the best evidence of its growth is the number of new additions laid out and improved each year. The latest addition to the city is J. H. Kunneke's new west side addition, which has just been platted and is now on market.

Mr. Kunneke has borne in mind the ever increasing demand for suburban homes, and has planned his addition in large lots suitable for the purpose, each lot containing almost an acre of land. All lots are corner lots and just four lots to a block, which offers great inducements to purchasers to buy an entire block with streets on all sides.

No finer location for suburban homes could be found in the vicinity of Lima, as it does on the west side of Woodlawn avenue and extending from Elm street to the Spencerville road, both of which streets are paved with brick. Lakewood avenue, which is a beautiful thoroughfare paved with asphalt to Woodlawn avenue, will pass through this addition near the center from east to west. Two streets parallel with Lakewood avenue are laid off between Elm and Lakewood and two more east and west streets between Lakewood and Spencerfield road. Judkins and Nixon avenues, and three other streets pass through the addition from north to south. The Western Ohio Railway Company passes along the south side of the addition and the city line occupies Lakewood avenue to within a block of the addition, turning south on Washington avenue to the Spencerfield road, and thence on the Spencerfield road to the southeast corner of the addition, where it joins the Western Ohio. The new city park lies on the opposite side of Woodlawn avenue, extending from the Spencerfield road, north to a point two hundred (200) feet south of Lakewood avenue; with paved streets, the best of street car service, and a park which is bound to be the beauty spot of Lima in a few years, just across the street. With pure air and a chance to breath it and only a mile and a half from the public square, it forms an ideal location for a residence, and we feel sure the people of Lima will avail themselves of the opportunity to secure a desirable location for a home. Prices range from \$300 to \$1000 a lot. For further particulars inquire of JOHN H. PHILLIPS, Agent, 209½ S. Main street.

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LIMA WATER WORKS.

J. K. FREDERICKS, SECRETARY.

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How to reserve accommodations in advance at "Inside Inn," Mrs. A. A. Llewellyn, of 760 south Main, has booklets containing an application blank or "Reservation Certificate," quartering accommodations for two people for the sum of \$2.50 each. The full amount is applied on the hotel bill if our accommodations are satisfactory. The full amount refunded if they are not. We take this assured position because we have the best accommodations in St. Louis for World's Fair visitors. Booklets given on application to Mrs. A. A. Llewellyn, 760 south Main street. Rates: European plan \$1.50 to \$5.00 per day including admission, American plan \$3.00 to \$7.00 per day including admission.

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LARGE DEAL ANNOUNCED.

General Manager for Marshall Field & Co. Purchases a Big Chicago Store.

Chicago, May 14.—Harry G. Selfridge, general manager of Marshall Field & Company, retail, has bought the business of Schlessinger & Mayer. The deal was announced today. Mr. Selfridge will conduct his new enterprise under the firm name of H. G. Selfridge & Company. The price paid was \$5,000,000. It is understood Mr. Selfridge has acquired the entire stock of Schlessinger and Mayer, which includes the interest of Henry Siegel, who bought heavy holdings in the firm two years ago.

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SPECIAL

Talks Will Be Given By Men

Who Are Prominent in Literary Circles

At the Meeting of the Ohio Library Association, to Be Held in Findlay at the Annual Convention.

The Ohio Library Association meeting to be held in Findlay, May 24-27 will be exceptionally interesting this year. Three special talks will be given by prominent men, Melvin Dewey, of the N. Y. state library; N. D. C. Heiges, of the Cincinnati public library, and Dr. W. O. Thompson, president of the Ohio State University.

Findlay, like Lima, is struggling and working for a library building which they need almost as badly as we do. They hope and expect the state meeting will prove an incentive and help them nearer to the goal. The club women of Findlay are much interested in the library work and are doing everything in their power to make the meeting successful. Can we not have the association meet with us next year?

Helen Keller's remarkable auto-

biography, "The Story of My Life," is being translated into Hindustani for

the use of the pupils in the school for the deaf at Bombay, also into Bohemian. Miss Keller's book was recently referred to as "The Epic of the Blind."

Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett has

just completed a short story of childhood, the first in the line of her great

success, "Little Lord Fauntleroy," she

has written in many years. It is a

novellette in two parts which will be

published in McClure's Magazine,

with illustrations in color by Jessie Wilcox Smith, and will be brought

out in book form by McClure-Phillips

in October.

Charles F. Thwing, president of

Western Reserve University, is the

author of "College Training and the

Business Man," just published. It

is the first attempt, made in a large

way, to prove and illustrate the advan-

tage which the man who enters busi-

ness receives from going to college.

He considers the subject not simply

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TOPICS

For Divine Services Tomorrow

Where the Day of Rest is Observed.

Hours at Which Religious Services Will be Held in the City--Interesting Sermons are Promised.

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Mother's Friend

the service with preaching at 10:15 evening services at 7:30, with a continuation of the sermons on the "Decades of Christianity." A cordial welcome to all. Carl Arckerman, pastor.

German Baptist Brethren.
East Elm street. Edward Kintner, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a.m.; preaching at 10:30 a.m.; C. E. meeting at 7:15 in the evening followed by preaching at 7:30. Subject: "No Difference" and "The Peace of God," respectively. You are invited to be with us.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church.
Corner west North and Elizabeth streets. Rev. F. P. Bossart, pastor. Services at 10:15 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Morning, "Prayer Preparation." Evening, "Our Help and Defense." Sunday school at 9 a.m.; Luther League at 6:45; business meeting of Luther League on Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. The seats are free and all are welcome.

First Baptist Church.
Central avenue between Market and High streets. Rev. Geo. Lord, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a.m. Morning worship with sermon at 10:30, subject, "The Grace That Is Sufficient." Y. P. meeting at 6:30 p.m.; evening service at 7:30, subject, "A Study of the Book of Jonah." The pastor will preach morning and evening. There will be special music in the evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

South Side Church of Christ.
Bible school at 9:15; preaching at 10:30 and 7:30. Pastor Sims' themes are the following: At 10:30, "He Is Not Far From Every One of You," and at 7:30, "Obedience." Juniors at 2:30; Y. P. at 6:30. Baptism administered at the night service.

Main Street Presbyterian Church.
Corner Market and West streets. The pastor, Robert J. Thomson, D. D., will preach. Subject at 10:30 a.m., "The Unbelieving Lord, or the Fate of Unbelief." At 7:30 subject, "Life Shadows." Sunday school at 9:15; Y. P. meeting at 6:30, Ira Witmer, leader. Prayer meeting Thursday, 7:30 p.m. All seats and services free. The public cordially welcomed.

German Reformed Church.
On west Wayne street. We cordially invite you to worship with us. Services as follows: Sunday school at 9 a.m.; regular services and preaching by the pastor at 10 o'clock. Evening services, English, at 7:15 p.m. Young people especially invited. One week from Sunday, on Pentecost, the Lord's Supper will be celebrated. Preparatory services, Thursday evening.

Protestant Episcopal, Christ Church.
North and West streets. Rev. G. F. Hoyt, rector. Sunday after Ascension day. Holy communion, 7:30 a.m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; morning prayer and sermon "The Conflicts of Recreation and Reverence," at 10:30 a.m.; evening prayer and sermon "As Every Man Hath Received the Gift, Even so Minister," at 7:30 p.m. A cordial invitation to everyone.

Jefferson Street Union Mission.
Sabbath school at 2:15 p.m. Lesson, "The Prodigal Son." Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7:30. A cordial invitation to every one.

Epworth Methodist Episcopal Church.
Public worship at 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. The morning sermon, "An Hour Spent With the General Conference Now in Session at Los Angeles." A gospel service in the evening with sermon by the pastor on "At Home and Away From Home." Sunday school at 9:15 a.m. Class meeting at 11:45 a.m.; Junior League at 2 p.m.; Epworth League at 6:30 p.m.; sermon at 7:30; subject, "The Necessity of Evangelism in Our Own Land." Special music at each service. Persons who are strangers, or comparatively so, and those who are holding or withholding church letters, come and join with us. All will find a welcome.

Trinity Methodist.
Sunday school at 2 o'clock; Oliver Kunkleman, superintendent. Sermon at 7:15 by pastor, Rev. A. M. Crist; subject, "The Worth of Present Opportunity." Special music. Welcome Grace Methodist.

Divine worship morning and evening. Sunday school at 9 o'clock; G. A. Herrett, superintendent. Pastor's morning theme, "The World's Evangelization." Junior League at 2 o'clock; Besse Stuckey, superintendent. Epworth League at 6:30; sermon at 7:30; subject, "The Necessity of Evangelism in Our Own Land." Special music at each service. Persons who are strangers, or comparatively so, and those who are holding or withholding church letters, come and join with us. All will find a welcome.

United Methodist.
Sunday school at 9 a.m. The A. M. E. church choir will sing at the Sunday school and morning service. Morning worship at 10:15, subject of sermon, "Intelligent and Progressive Christian Service"; Juniors at 2 p.m.

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W. M. Malville, Special Agent.

Manager Maxwell announces Percy G. Williams' big scenic production, "Deserter at the Altar" as the attraction at the Faurot opera house, Saturday, May 21st. It is said to be one of the most exciting melodramas yet written, and is the production of the fertile brain of Pierce Kingsley, a Syracuse newspaper man. The story of the play concerns Frank Creighton, a young artist who is spending his vacation in the Adirondacks. He loves Nellie Dorsey, and has a rival in Dave Murdock, a guide. Nellie is not aware of the love of the latter, who is her foster brother, her affection for him being purely sisterly. In a fit of jealous rage, Murdock attempts to stab Creighton, Paul Darrow, alias Slick Simpson, wanted by the United States government for counterfeiting, is Frank's false friend. He also falls in love with Nellie and hears that she has consented to become Frank's wife. Bill Dorsey, Nellie's father, will not consent to the marriage of Nellie and Frank, and turns the latter from his door. Frank goes to New York and a week later is joined by Nellie. At the altar, Frank is called outside at the instance of Darrow, who is his best man, chloroformed and driven to a den of counterfeiters, where he is imprisoned. Nellie faints at the altar when she is told that Creighton is false to her and is cut off by Darrow. In the third act Nellie escapes from a boat on which Darrow and Mrs. Darrow, a member of a counterfeiting gang, embark. The vessel having caught fire just as Darrow tries to stab her. Nellie returns home and after much opposition is forgivably by her parents. Frank escapes from his prison and marries Nellie. Darrow is captured by secret service officers. The climax to the second act is a panoramic view showing the progress of an automobile in which Creighton is being carried to the counterfeiting den. All of which sounds strenuous indeed. The company includes Pierce Kingsley, Chas. W. Young, John Smillett, Nellie Thebaud, Ethel Milton, Jowell Darrow, Adel Carlton and C. Alexander Taylor.

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Elmer E. Crossley, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executrix of the estate of Elmer E. Crossley, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 5th day of May, A. D. 1904.

TINA CROSSLEY, Executrix
Motter, Mackenzie & Weadock, attorneys.

177-fr-sat-3w.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Walter H. Standish, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Walter H. Standish, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 4th day of May, A. D. 1904.

FLORENCE M. STANDISH.

177-fr-sat-3w.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Charles H. Brown, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Charles H. Brown, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 2nd day of May, A. D. 1904.

JOHN E. BROWN, Administrator.

173-3w.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S SALE.

In pursuance to an order of the probate court, of Allen county, Ohio, I will offer for sale at public auction on Saturday, the 4th day of June, A. D. 1904, at 2 o'clock, at the east door of the court house, in said city of Lima, Ohio, to-wit:

Being in lot number seven hundred and twenty-eight (728) in Robert's addition to said city of Lima, (old number fifty four (54), said premises herein described being located on the south side of east High street in said city of Lima; being between Miller avenue and Swan street, and being house number eight hundred and sixteen (816).

Appraised at nineteen hundred (\$1900.) dollars.

ONE MORE SUICIDE.

William M. Lichty Drowns Himself in an Old Reservoir.

Startling Discovery of His Tragic Death Made by His Sister Who Had Started in Search of Him---Sickness Supposed to Be the Cause.

Three suicides within a lesser number of weeks is the record established by Lima, with Wm. M. Lichty, a well-known and respected citizen of the south side, the third victim on the deplored list. The lifeless body of the latter was found in an old reservoir within less than half a mile of his parent's home, this morning between the hours of 7 and 8 o'clock.

The startling discovery of the suicide was made by two sisters of the deceased who had gone in search of him. The suicide was the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Lichty, residing at Third street and the Wapakoneta road. He had been ill almost constantly during the past winter, and despondence over his physical condition which prevented him from working steadily, it is believed to have been the cause of his suicide.

Mr. Lichty arose early this morning, and before eating his breakfast, started to drive some cows to a pasture some distance south of his home. He did not return and about an hour later his two sisters, becoming uneasy over his failure to return home, started in

PEACEFUL

Slumber of Death Lays Its Claim

Upon All That Was Mortal of Wm. H. McKenzie.

Stroke of Paralysis That Was Sustained Four Weeks Resulted in Death Last Evening—Was a Civil War Veteran.

William H. McKenzie, a venerable citizen and a veteran of the War of the Rebellion, passed to rest at the home of his son-in-law, McDougal Emmett, at 741 west North street, last evening, his death being the result of paralysis after an illness of four weeks duration. The visit of the angel of death was not unexpected but the deceased having been a man of many noble traits of character, a good friend and neighbor, and an affectionate and devoted husband and father, the shock occasioned by his death is a severe one that is keenly felt and the warmest sympathy of a wide circle of friends is entertained for the bereaved family.

The remains will be taken to Waverly, O., for burial and the funeral will be delayed until next Wednesday, to await the arrival of relatives from the distance.

Wm. H. McKenzie was born at Bourneville, Ohio, and reached the age of 62 years on the 29th of last March. He was married at Waverly, Ohio, on February 7, 1869, Miss Emma Puffer becoming his bride, and his estimable wife and daughter, together with four brothers and two sisters, survive him.

During the Civil War Mr. McKenzie was a member of the 129th regiment,

O. V. L. and became a victim of typhoid fever from the effects of which he never fully recovered. After the war he became a merchant and since his coming to Lima to make his home with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. McDougal Emmett, he clerked in the Michael and Lichtenstader clothing stores. He was an active member of the Presbyterian church and had but recently secured his letter from the church of that denomination at Waverly for the purpose of becoming a member of the congregation of the west Market street Presbyterian church. He lived an exemplary Christian life and his devotion to those near and dear to him as well as his daily exemplification of a strong belief in the brotherhood of man made him loved and respected by all who were favored with his acquaintance.

Four weeks ago Mr. McKenzie suffered a stroke of paralysis which effected the brain and his decline was gradual. After five days of unconsciousness he rallied and regained consciousness a few days ago and for a brief time there was hope of his ultimate recovery, but last Tuesday signs of sinking again became noticeable and each day found him weaker than the preceding one. The end came with his loved ones at his bedside and the passing through the portals of death was so silently peaceful that it seemed but the dropping into a restful slumber.

Bring your family on Sunday and get a good hotel dinner at Gerhart's old stand the Home Restaurant. Price 25c. No. 134 west High street.

TRACK NOTES.

Freight Agent Dies
Detroit, May 14.—Wm. D. Knapp, local agent for the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Coal department, died at Grace hospital today where he was operated upon for appendicitis several days ago. Knapp who was 37 years of age, came to Detroit from Buffalo, four years ago. He was born in Yonkers, N. Y.

Harmony Between Rivals.

New York, May 14.—After nearly a year of negotiation, George J. Gould, on behalf of the St. Louis Iron Mountain railway and the Texas and Pacific railway and B. F. Yeakum, on behalf of the Rock Island-Frisco system, have signed a contract by which the Rock Island-Frisco system will gain access to New Orleans by trackage over the Gould system and the Illinois Central. The contract is to run 99 years. This insures harmony between the interests which for a time last winter were on the point of disruption.

Notes of the Rail.

Tomorrow the Sunday excursion season begins. The L. E. & W. will run an excursion from Sandusky to Indianapolis and return and the Detroit Southern will run its first Detroit excursion of the season.

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WIDOW

Wants Damages From Putnam County.

Suit Grows Out of Drowning of McAdow Near Kalida.

She Charges Neglect on Part of Commissioners in Not Protecting Approach to Bridge With Proper Railing.

FORMER

Engineer of the C. H. & D. R. Passes to Rest.

Frank Duggan, a Native of County Kerry, Ireland, Dies at His Home in This City.

Frank Duggan, formerly a well known engineer on the C. H. & D. passed away at his late home, 762 north Main street, this morning at 12:45 o'clock, after an illness of two weeks, from a complication of diseases. The deceased was born in County Kerry, Ireland, 56 years ago, and is survived by a wife and six children, four daughters and two sons. One daughter, Mrs. Michael Keller, is very seriously ill. The deceased was a member of the C. K. of A., and a good citizen, who had the respect of his large number of friends and acquaintances.

The funeral services will be held at St. Rose church, Monday morning at 8:30 and the interment will be in Gethsemani cemetery.

WAUKESHA WATER AT DIMOND BROS.

SLAUGHTER

Of Untagged Dogs Commenced by the Police.

Ten Unfortunate Canines Dispatched by Officer Kelly This Morning—Mayor's Court.

The police department has inaugurated a wholesale slaughter of dogs.

Officer Dan Kelly, equipped with a scavenger wagon and a double barrelled shot gun, visited the Rowlands addition and for about an hour he conducted a little Port Arthur bombardment of his own. When at last, he withdrew from the scene of carnage, ten dead and untagged canines were loaded into the wagon and hauled to the garbage farm. Immediately thereafter the city auditor's office was besieged with dog owners in search of dog license tags.

Chief Mills states that the dog slaughter shall be carried forward into all portions of the city.

Other Jury Disagreed.

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WIFE

Found Guilty of an Indiscretion

And a Decree

Of Divorce Is Awarded the Husband.

Jury in Suit Against the St. Marys Franco-American Oil Company

Returns a Verdict for the Defendant Company—Jury in Case Against Ben Sawyer Could Not Agree.

Verdict For Defendants.

The jury in the case of George H. Melly vs. The St. Marys-Franco-American Petroleum Co., informed the court bailiff, at 9:35 o'clock last night that it had reached a verdict. The suit started last Monday and throughout the trial was one of the hardest fought battles that had been witnessed in common pleas court in recent terms.

The case was of unusual interest among the oil operators and brokers and many were anxiously awaiting the verdict of the jury. The attorneys and other interested parties in the suit were soon notified that the jury was ready to report and quite a crowd gathered in the court room to hear the verdict. The report was submitted by the jury foreman W. K. Boone and was returned in favor of the defendant company, the verdict being "No cause of action." The jury had been out since 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

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partment the latest and most up to date patterns to be found in Northwestern Ohio,

and as we buy them in car load quantities the prices are lower than at any store in Lima.

PERSONAL MENTION.

W. H. Mattingly, is visiting his father at Tipton, Ind., and his brother, Rev. Julius Mattingly, at Richmond, Ind.

W. M. Abbott, of the K. & T. Oil Co., left today for Cincinnati, to spend a few days with his parents.

Mr. M. J. Cahill, representing the Catholic Universe, of Cleveland, is here making a friendly call on his customers.

Mrs. Wm. Robinson, of north Main street, is confined to her bed by an attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

Mrs. A. G. Small, of north Elizabeth street, is laid up with a severe attack of rheumatism.

James Fennessy, an ex-L. E. & W. conductor, is lying at the home of his brother, John Fennessy, north of the city. Mr. Fennessy is suffering from cancer of the neck, and there is no hope for his recovery.

Prof. C. C. Miller went to Columbus this morning, on business.

C. B. Wells, H. W. Bennett, the undertaker, and Asa Ridemour, were business callers at Kenton today.

Public sale of livery horses was the principal attraction.

Rising Sun, Ind., May 14.—Before

the trial of Jas. Gillespie, Mrs. Belle Seward and Mr. and Mrs. Barbour for the murder of Elizabeth Gillespie, was called today, John Edington, superintendent of the county poor farm, came into town with ropes for cows that had escaped. A crowd followed him, thinking there was to be a lynching. Finally Edington halted and explained how he happened to be carrying rope and the crowd dispersed.

The principal witness today was Mrs. Laura Jonsson, a friend of the victim. The witness related conver-

sation that lasted three hours be-

tween herself and Mrs. Barbour three

years ago. At that time, Mrs. Bar-

bour attacked Elizabeth Gillespie's

character and said if Elizabeth did not stop "peeping" some one would throw

vitriol in Elizabeth's face.

200 OUT OF EMPLOYMENT.

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Loretto mine shut down today, throw-

ing about 200 men out of employment.

Other mines are closing and miners

are leaving for Europe on account of

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MARTIAL LAW.

GOOD CATCH

Made by Policeman Dan Kelly This Afternoon.

Martin Higgins, of Sidney, wanted

for stealing a shot gun from Lloyd

Locke, of Auglaize county and for

stealing a horse and buggy, the owner

of which is not yet known by the local

police, was captured on north Eliza-

beth street this afternoon by Officer

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